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At Pageant Saturday

Eleven Vie For Queen's Tiara

Miss Michigan Winter Sports 1970

On Saturday evening, Feb. 13 one of 11 lovely queen contestants will step forward to receive the coveted title of Miss Michigan Winter Sports at the Grayling High School gym, which will highlight the three day Winter Sports Carnival.

The Pageant, which will start at 8:00 p.m., is affiliated with the Miss Michigan Pageant and the winner here will have the opportunity to represent the Grayling region for the Miss Michigan title this summer in Muskegon.

As an added attraction during the Pageant, "The Singing Vikings" a high school group of Mike Ayers, Tim Fitzgerald, Bill Hatfield, Jerry King, Sam Mead, Don Shepler, Doug Slater, John Sorenson, Meri Theaker, accompanied by Mary L. McNamara, will be entertaining throughout the evening.

Following is a synopsis of each of the eleven contestants:

Marie Theresa McIsaac, "Miss Grayling Jaycees", 17 years old, 5' 6", green-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving McIsaac of Grayling, sponsored by the Grayling Area Jaycees. Marie is a senior at Grayling High School, and her talent presentation will be a song and dance rendition of "Honey Bun" from "South Pacific".

Sheridan Lynn Seiber, "Miss Oakland County", 20 years old, 5' 4", blue-eyed blond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard C. Seiber of Pontiac, sponsored by a Pontiac firm. "Sheri" is a junior at Michigan State University, and her talent presentation will be a Floor-Exercise-Ballet Routine.

Diane Nellie Barkley, "Miss Boyne City", 19 years old, 5' 4", hazel-eyed honey blond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barkley of Boyne City, sponsored by the Boyne City Chamber of Commerce. Diane is a freshman at North Central Michigan College, and her talent presentation is her own display of art work plus an impressive demonstration of a still life sketch.

Helen Ruth Shepard, "Miss East Jordan", 17 years old, 5' 3", hazel-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shepard of East Jordan, sponsored by the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce. Helen is a senior at East Jordan High School, and her talent presentation is a song and dance act from the Broadway play "My Fair Lady", the song being "Wouldn't It Be Lovely?".

Susan K. Hansen, "Miss Muskegon Seaway Festival", 18 years old, 5' 3", blue-eyed ash blond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hansen, Jr. of Muskegon Heights, sponsored by the Greater Muskegon Seaway Festival. Susan is a freshman at Muskegon County Community College.



One of the contestants pictured on page five will replace Vicky Dee Thompson, shown above, as Miss Michigan Winter Sports 1971, Saturday evening.

ONAWAY HERE WEDNESDAY

Vikings Travel to Kalkaska Friday

The Grayling Vikings were upended by the Harbor Springs Rams in their rescheduled match last Tuesday evening in an overtime thriller, 81-76. Harbor outscored the local squad 8-3 in the overtime.

Again last Friday, the league game with the Grayling court was called due to another snowstorm that hit the area, and closed traffic on I-75 north of here.

The Cardinal's game has been rescheduled for this Wednesday evening here, and following the defeat at Harbor, coach Tom St.

German's cagers will have to win all their remaining games if they hope for a share of the NLML title.

On Friday, the Vikings will be at Kalkaska for a league encounter with the Blue Blazers, who are fresh off an upset victory over the Peliston Hornets last Tuesday by a 59-46 count.

With the Vikings and Hornets going down in defeat last week, the Northern Lower Michigan League first place has again turned into a three-way tie, with Harbor, Grayling and Pellston all holding 7-3 records.

The Vikings jumped out to a 44-22 halftime lead as they outscored the Rams 21-15 and 23-17 in the first two quarters. The Rams came storming back after intermission and took the measure of the Vikings, 22-13 in the third period and 19-16 in the fourth.

HOUGHTON LAKE GAME CHANGED
A change in the scheduled Houghton Lake basketball game was announced Tuesday afternoon. Instead of the Bobcats playing the Vikings here on Feb. 23, the game has been moved to Tuesday night, Feb. 16.

Public Notice

The Grayling State Bank is prohibited by Michigan Statutes to transact business on legal holidays, and therefore will be closed on Friday, Feb. 12 and Monday, Feb. 15. These days are in observance of Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays.

However, in order to adequately serve the public, the bank will provide full banking services during special hours on Saturday morning, Feb. 13, from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

STILL UNDECIDED ABOUT THE HIGH SCHOOL BOND?

If you have not made up your mind how to vote on building the new high school for the Crawford County Area, come to the Beaver Creek Township Hall next Tuesday.

There will be slides and speakers showing the proposed high school and the problems which created the need for a new school.

If you have not reached a decision — or if you have decided to vote "yes" — or to vote "no", come and get more information to justify your decision.

When you vote, be well informed. Ask as many questions as you like. They will all be answered.

Come and bring your friends to the Beaver Creek Township Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

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There will be a meeting at the Frederic Town Hall Tuesday, Feb. 16, on the proposed new high school at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Klondike Derby To Be Held Here On Feb. 20

Grayling area scouting units will host the annual AuSable District Klondike Derby on February 20th at Hartwick Pines.

Area scouts are hard at work, under the chairmanship of Robert Larson, planning the activities for the day which are to be oriented around the atmosphere of the park.

Competitive participation will be conducted on a patrol basis. Patrols will be competing in ax-throwing, log sawing, rescue of logging accident victim, winter survival, snow shoe racing and a quiz on ecology and nature based on a tour and presentation by Wendall Hoover, the park naturalist. Judging will be based on skill and knowledge along with patrol leadership, discipline and conduct.

The theme of the event is "ecology and conservation while relieving the logging era of the 1800's."

Overnight camping facilities are available for troops who wish to sleepout overnight in the woods on Saturday night. For these troops there will be a six-minute evening program presented by Wendall Hoover covering the logging era with illustrating slides and discussion.

Cederberg's Assistant To Be Here Feb. 17

Due to the continuing illness of his regular District liaison man, and in order to offer the citizens of the Tenth District an opportunity to bring any difficulties they might have with the Federal Government to his attention, Congressman Elford A. Cederberg has scheduled his Washington, D.C., assistant for the monthly visit to Crawford County.

Michael A. Forgash will be at the courthouse in Grayling on Wednesday, Feb. 17 from 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

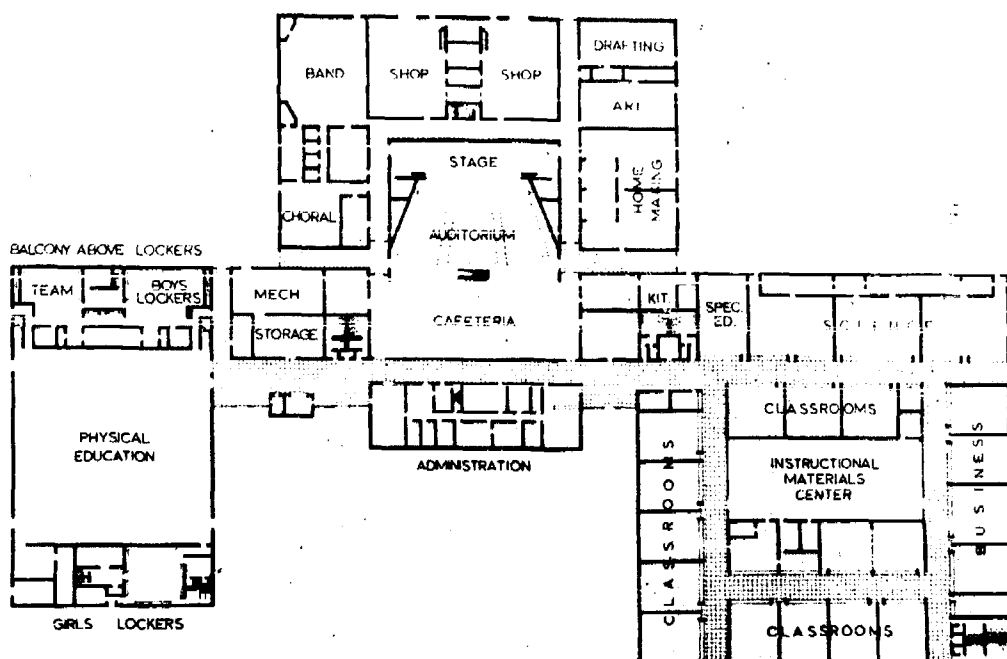
Residents of the District who would like to express their concerns regarding matters dealing with the Federal Government will have an opportunity to do so at the above time. Congressman Cederberg reminds those that might have a problem with a Federal agency that they should bring along any documents that might help to identify their case.

Woman's Club

The Woman's Club met Monday, Feb. 1, at the clubhouse. Rev. Paul Frederick showed slides and spoke on the proposed new high school. Gerald Burns, representing the Board of Education, was present and answered questions.

Officers for the next year were elected and are as follows: President, Lucille McNally, first vice president, Mildred Ziegler; second vice president, Arlene Williams. Helen Marlowe and Vi Burns will continue to finish their terms of office as secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Lunch was served by co-hostesses, Ruth Robertson and Faith Stripe. The next meeting will be March 1.



FLOOR PLAN OF PROPOSED NEW HIGH SCHOOL — The architects layout of the proposed new high school features a conventional design that still retains some flexibility for possible program changes in years to come. This design allows for the same number of students as the former proposal but has the added advantage of being more compact, thus reducing the over all cost of the building.

including: (a) a Physical education area (b) a music-vocal area around the perimeter of the auditorium, and (c) the academic area centered around the instructional material center (library).

Total cost of the building, including furniture, equipment, architects fees, legal fees, site preparation, and landscaping is \$2,960,000.00.

It is estimated that the building will cost the taxpayer 7 mills or \$7.00 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation the first year with a reduction to approximately 5 mills or \$5.00 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation if the proposed increase in property valuation goes through. At the current level of assessment the building will cost the average taxpayer about \$35.00 per year.

46th Winter Sports Carnival this Weekend

Grayling's 46th annual Winter Sports Carnival will get underway Thursday evening, Feb. 11, with a "kick-off dinner-dance" at the Polyhedron Lodge at Bear Mountain starting at 6:30. At 11:00 p.m. there will be a "Torch Light Ski Parade" on the slopes of Bear Mountain.

On Friday contestants for the Miss Michigan Winter Sports title will arrive.

Saturday and Sunday will be full days of winter sports activities starting at 9:00 a.m. Saturday morning and ending at 4:30 p.m. Sunday.

Included in the activities will

be a snowmobile display and public exhibitions; public snow-far; student window art motif; Levi ski races; knitted mitten contest; professional skiing exhibition; preliminaries for down hill canoe races; and the Michigan Winter Sports Pageant on Saturday.

A reunion for all former Miss Grayling Winter Sports queens will be held Saturday evening, with a cocktail party at Mrs. Walter F. Truettner's home at 6:00 o'clock. Members of the press, radio and TV, will also be guests at the party. The queen's will be guests at the

Pageant following the get-together. As of Monday, Mrs. Truettner had received word from 16 former queens that they planned on attending the reunion.

On Sunday morning, beginning at 9:30 a.m. from Houle's Woodland Motel, a "Snowmobile Parade" with Miss Michigan Winter Sports 1971 and the other contestants will snowmobile to Bear Mountain where a brunch reception will be held and the day's events will take place.

The Queens will be treated to sleigh rides, tobogganing and skiing. At 1:00 p.m. the public crown-

ing of the new queen will take place on the Ice Throne at the Mountain. Jaycee junior skating races will be held at Fick's Municipal Rink; a sky diving exhibition and the finals of the downhill canoe races will wind up the weekend festivities.

The theme for this year's carnival is "Something for Everyone," and promises to be one of the finest since the days of the snow trains.

A complete schedule of activities for the 46th annual Winter Sports Carnival appears on page two of this issue.

TWO FIRES IN COUNTY SUNDAY

Fire Sunday afternoon damaged the Harvey Gauthier home at 1090 S. Millikin Rd., a half mile East of Grayling. A section of the basement wall and ceiling were damaged by the fire and there was smoke damage throughout the house, according to Assistant Fire Chief John Wilcox.

The alarm was turned in at about 3:15 with two trucks and ten men answering the call. Damage was estimated at \$5,000 and the cause of the fire is unknown at the present time, Wilcox said.

Another fire sometime late Saturday night or early Sunday morning destroyed a duplex house trailer with expansion living room in Lovells Township. It was owned by Win Case of Saginaw and he estimated damages at \$19,000.00, officials stated.

County Democrats Meet

There will be a meeting of the Crawford County Democrats at the County Building, Wednesday, February 17, at 7:30 p.m. Please use rear door.

HOT LUNCH MENU

Monday: Spaghetti, vegetable, fruit and hot rolls.

Tuesday: Chicken noodle soup, crackers, cake, bread and peanut butter.

Wednesday: Turkey gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable, fruit, bread and butter.

Thursday: Chili, crackers, rolls and Jello.

Friday: Fish sticks, peas, fruit, bread and butter.

Milk is served daily.

Valentine Party At Ausagra Acres

The Senior Citizens will have a Valentine Party February 10, 1971 at 7:30 p.m. at Ausagra Acres. Refreshments and Decorative Committee, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tomlinson. Various games including the "Dating Game" as played on TV will be part of the program. All senior citizens in Crawford County invited — no charge but lots of fun. You all come.

Saturday, Feb. 13, 1971, at 2:00 p.m., we will have the "Knitted Mitten Contest" at the Northland Department Store. Yarn and needles will be furnished at the store and the senior citizen knitting the most on the mitten in the allotted time will receive \$15.00 in new one dollar bills.

The oldest senior citizen competing in the contest on February 13th will receive \$10.00 in new one dollar bills and the prettiest designed mitten presented ahead of the contest for display will receive \$5.00 in one dollar bills. Both men and women are invited to compete. Let me know so we will have ample material ready.

Lora Gould, Director

Boys and Girls

Remember the Jaycee skating races this Sunday, Feb. 14, at 3:00 p.m. at the rink by the Standard Oil tanks on M-72 West. Anyone may enter who has never raced in a pro race. It is strictly for amateurs. There will be a class for all from toddlers to 15 years old. Trophies and ribbons will be awarded.

Poster Contest Ends March 1st

Just a reminder — The Water Safety poster contest, sponsored by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce and the Crawford County Sheriff's Dept. Marine Patrol, for Crawford Co. students 12-15 years of age is open until March 1.

Posters cannot be larger than 18" x 24" and must have student's name, address, phone number and age printed on back. Medium should be of a semi-permanent material (not charcoal or chalk unless fixed). There is a limit of two entries per contestant.

Posters should be submitted to: Grayling High School, Sheriff's Dept. or Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce.

Meeting Notice

There will be a meeting of the Crawford AuSable School Association at the Frederic School Cafeteria Thursday, Feb. 11, at 7:30.

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The Grayling Trailmasters will meet Thursday, February 11, at Wert's Lone Pine Inn, 7:30 p.m.

Bake Sale Friday

The Grayling Coop Nursery will be sponsoring a Valentine Bake Sale on Friday, Feb. 12, at Glens Market starting at 9 a.m.

MILITARY MAILBAG

Albert P. Ferguson, Jr. BUS. 050773, PWT, 35 NASNI, San Diego, California 92135.

QUEEN CHOSEN AT ROSCOMMON

Becky Mead, a 17 year old senior at the Gerrish Higgins High School in Roscommon, became Miss Roscommon 1971 at the 11th Annual Crystal Ball and Pageant which was held on February 6th in Roscommon.

Becky, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Mead of Roscommon, was crowned by last year's winner, Mary Lou Guest and the emcee of the program, Daunc Bergen, Miss Michigan Universe 1970.

First runner-up was Marsha Dolph, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dolph of Higgins Lake and the second runner-up was Jan Gunderson, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers of Roscommon.

GRANGE NOTICE

The annual Grange dinner will be February 22 at the San Sheri. Call 348-9377 or 348-9741 not later than the 20th. It will be followed by cards at the Woman's Club building at eight.

Public Notice

Michigan Avenue from Cedar Street to Peninsular Street will be closed to vehicular traffic from 9 a.m. till 12 noon on Saturday, Feb. 13, 1971, for the purpose of snowmobile exhibition and display.

William Valusek
Grayling City Clerk

Perch Fry Friday

The AuSable Sno-Birds are sponsoring another perch fry Friday evening at the Frederic Inn from 5 to 10 p.m. The price is \$1.75.



OFFICIAL OPENING OF BANK — Derek McEvers, Mayor of Grayling cut the ribbon to officially open the new Grayling State Bank on Michigan Ave. on Monday morning, Feb. 1. A portion of those attending the ceremonies are shown from left: Bud Hunter, Roy Papenfus, William Kraus, executive vice-president of the bank, Col. Edmund Rutkowski, Jack Alef, bank president, WO Edward Sorenson, Major Duane Sloan, Danny Alef, Mayor McEvers, Robert Bovee, Robert Gottfried, bank credit manager, Monsignor Victor Gallagher and David MacLean.

Fun for Everyone — This Weekend — In Grayling

46th Annual Winter Sports Carnival

February 11, 12, 13, 14, 1971

FEBRUARY 11th:

6:30 p.m. — Winter Carnival Kick-Off Dinner-Dance — Bear Mt. Lodge — Open to public.

11:00 p.m. — Torch Light Ski Parade — Bear Mt. Lodge.

FEBRUARY 12th:

6:00 p.m. — Arrival of Contestants for Miss Michigan Winter Sports Pageant — Houle's Woodland Motel.

FEBRUARY 13th:

9:00-12 Noon — Snowmobile display and public exhibition on Michigan Ave. between Cedar and Peninsular.

10:00 a.m. — "Public Snofari"—Grayling Trailmaster Snowmobile Club. Starting point: Crawford County Building.

11:00 a.m. — "Student Window Art Motif" judging — Downtown Grayling.

11:00 a.m. — "Levi Ski Races" — Bear Mountain.

2:00 p.m. — "Knitted Mitten Contest" — Senior Citizens — Display Window of Northland Department Store.

4:30 p.m. — Professional Skiing Exhibition — Bear Mountain.

5:00 p.m. — Preliminaries "Down-Hill Canoe Races" — Bear Mountain.

8:00 p.m. — Miss Michigan Winter Sports Pageant — 3-hour production — "Franchised Miss America Pageant" — Grayling High School Gym.

FEBRUARY 14th:

9:30 a.m. — Snowmobile Parade of Contestants and Queens from Houle's Woodland Motel to Bear Mt.

1:00 p.m. — Public Crowning of "Miss Michigan Winter Sports 1971" — Bear Mt.

2:00 p.m. — "Sky Diving Exhibition" — Bear Mt.

3:00 p.m. — Jaycee Junior Skating Races—Fick's Municipal Rink.

4:30 p.m. — Finals of "Down-Hill Canoe Race" — Bear Mt.

from **HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK**
DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

Abraham Lincoln was born February 12, 1809. The U.S. motto, "E Pluribus Unum" was adopted, February 12, 1873.
Andrew Bradford published the first magazine in America, "The American," February 13, 1766. The U.S. Marine Corps Women's Reserve was founded, February 13, 1943.
February 14 is St. Valentine's Day.
The battleship Maine was sunk in Havana Harbor, February 15, 1898 in an attempt to assassinate President Roosevelt at Miami. Giuseppe Zangara fatally wounded Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, February 16, 1933.
The U.S.S. Philadelphia was captured by pirates at Tripoli, February 16, 1804.

Wish I'd SAID THAT

The wife who snatches her husband's pay-check can hardly expect the old fellow to continue to say it with flowers and candy.—N. De-Vane Williams, Holmes County (Fla.) Advertiser.

The Concerned Consumer

By MARGARET SPADER
Director of Consumer Affairs
National Association of Manufacturers

What is the difference between a guarantee and a warranty?

They are the same thing, a promise in writing usually stating that the product is free from defects in materials or in workmanship. They protect the consumer against having to pay for repairs or replacement if the product proves to be defective within a specified length of time.

What does a guarantee look like?

If there is no visible guarantee on a product, ask for one. If advertising mentions a "guarantee," a copy of it must be available in writing.

Some guarantees appear on a label affixed to the product. Appliance guarantees are often printed as part of the use-and-care book. Major appliances may have a separate guarantee certificate. Be sure you receive a copy when you buy a product.

How can you tell if a guarantee is a good one?

If the guarantee answers these questions to your satisfaction, the chances are that it is a good one: Is the entire product or only certain parts covered? Is repair labor included? Precisely who is responsible for warranty repairs? Who pays shipping

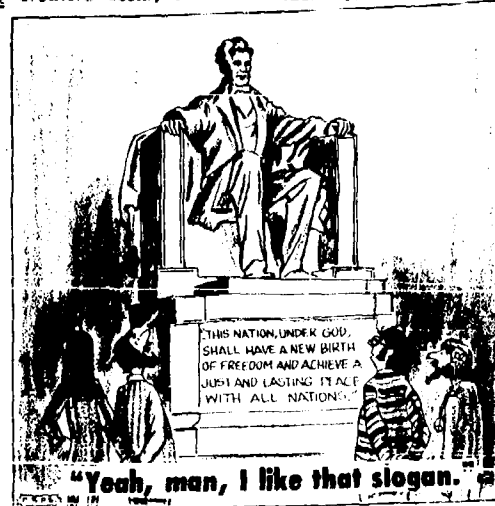
charges? What is the warranty period on the entire product, and does it differ for particular components? Will a substitute be provided during in-warranty repairs, and if so, by whom?

How can the expiration date of a guarantee be determined?

The dated sales slip and/or guarantee which bears a date can determine the expiration date. (The sales slip also gives proof of purchase if the guarantee is lost.) Some guarantors can estimate the expiration date of the guarantee according to when the model was manufactured. Some guarantees have either the date of purchase or the expiration date written on them.

Buy-Sell in the Avalanche

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KNEIP'S Corned Beef ROUNDS 88¢ lb	WHOLE LEG O' LAMB 88¢ lb <small>LAMB Shoulder Roast..... lb. 49¢</small>	"SUPER-RIGHT" 4-8-LB. SMOKED PICNICS 39¢ lb	"SUPER-RIGHT" BEEF RIB STEAKS 99¢ lb
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A&P GRADE "A" FROZEN Orange Juice 12-OZ. CAN 29¢	A&P GRADE "A" FROZEN Shoestring Potatoes 2-LB. 8 OZ. BAG 49¢	SEALTEST Sour Half and Half PT. CTN. 33¢
25 TEA BAGS FREE Our Own Tea Bags 125-CT. BONUS PACK 99¢		

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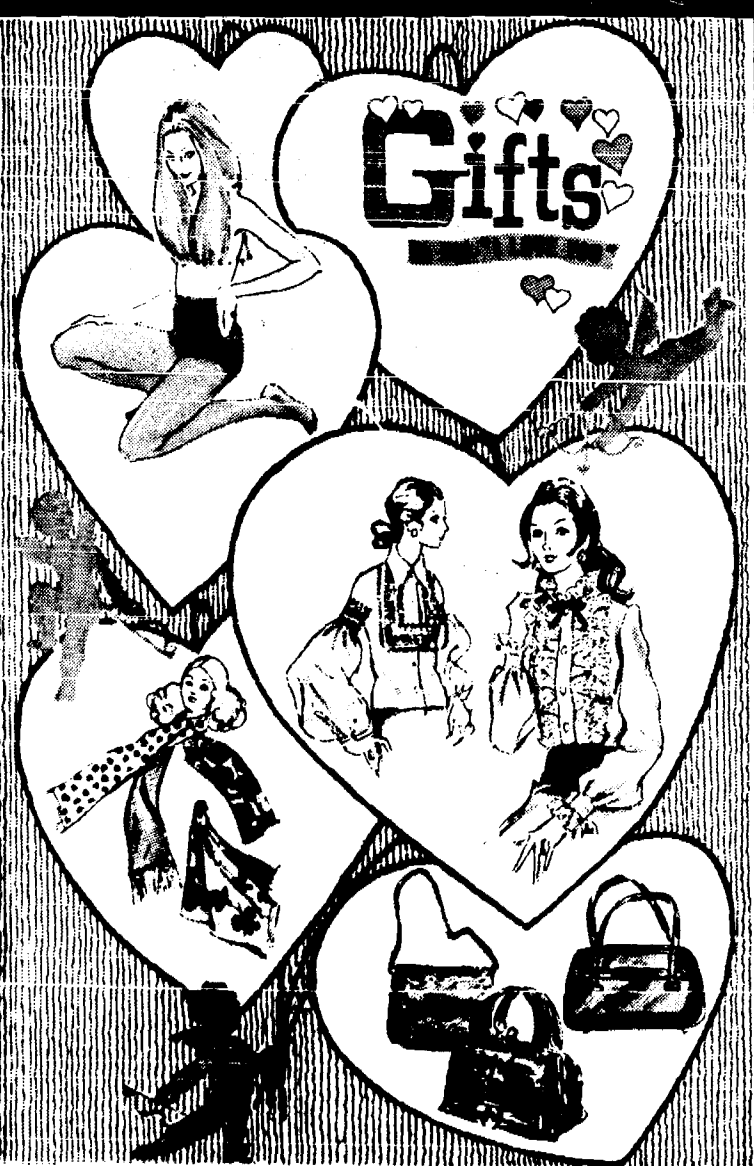
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10-OZ. JAR **1.03** WITH THIS COUPON

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 Effective at A&P Thru Sunday, Feb. 14th

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New Political Labels

The American political system, many believe, has been able to survive because the inherent strength of two major political parties has avoided the confusion and divisiveness of too many candidates and too many parties. In late years, however, party lines have tended more and more to become blurred. The traditional idea that Republicans are conservative and Democrats are liberal is almost meaningless. There are liberal Republicans and conservative Democrats. Many voters feel that contests between candidates of the present major parties offer little, if any, choice of opposing views on major issues.

Nation's Business has conducted a poll of businessmen and found them overwhelmingly in favor of realigning America's two largest parties along conservative and liberal lines. By a majority of 3 to 2, businessmen would prefer the labels Conservative and Liberal in the place of Republican and Democrat. Everything else in the country is changing so it would not be surprising to see the Elephant and the Donkey go the way of the Model T Ford.

Diminishing Dollars

The publication "Salt Lake Business", published by the Salt Lake City, Utah, Area Chamber of Commerce, has translated government spending and deficits into declining dollar values in a way that can be understood by the fourth grader who will be paying the bill.

Since 1942, the value of the dollar has shrunk 58 cents. If it continues to shrink at the same rate during the next 28 years, as it has during the past 28 years, it will be worth only 18 cents as we reach the end of the 20th Century. By that time, as "Salt Lake Business" points out, the average worker now receiving \$7200 in wages would have to earn \$16,800 just to keep even; \$3,000 cars would cost \$7,000, \$25,000 homes — \$58,000, \$4,000 college tuition — \$9,400, \$275 television sets — almost \$640.

If the present spending habits of government continue to outstrip the productivity and tax-paying ability of the people, the average worker will be no closer to winning the race against inflation than he is today. And the bigger the wage increases, the bigger the government deficits, the faster the inflationary spiral will turn. Somewhere along the way, the mirage of security within the framework of a welfare state will vanish.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

February 12, 1948

The City of Grayling will begin enforcement of a new curfew ordinance, known as ordinance number 17, on February 22 at 10:30 p.m. The new ordinance in part says: "No minor under the age of 17 years shall loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in or upon the public street, highways, roads, alleys, parks, public buildings, place of amusement and entertainments, and other unsupervised place, after the hour of 10:30 o'clock p.m. unless such minor shall be in the company of his or her parents, guardian or other adult person having the care and custody of such minor, or unless minor is on an emergency errand or some legitimate and necessary business directed by his or her parents, guardian or other adult person as aforesaid."

Roy Johnson of Grayling has purchased the Richter farm.

John Madill who is attending Bay City Business college and his brother, Frank Madill, who is attending Mt. Pleasant, were home for the weekend.

Stamp collectors across the nation next month will have an opportunity to buy what is believed to be the first stamp ever issued by a state to license fishermen. The Conservation Department promises stocks of the 1948 \$1 trout stamp will be in the hands of license dealers by March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stump and sons Gary and Tommy, of Cadillac spent Sunday visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hedrick at Lake Margrethe.

Richard Snyder of Bay City visited at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mrs. Ella Wilcox on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and daughter Peggy, expect to spend the weekend here.

Mrs. William Larush returned home from Detroit Monday, where she had been visiting her brothers and their families.

Miss Lois Bradley had as her house guest the first part of the week, Miss Fran Malloy of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Borchers are happy over the arrival of a 10 pound boy born February 1 at Mercy Hospital. He will be known as Alfred William Jr. Mrs. Borchers is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells.

Mrs. Ben Yoder was hostess to the Jolly Twelve Pinocchio Club, Saturday evening. Mrs. Hattie Moshier held high score for the ladies and Mrs. Nels Grumley low. Middle LaMotte held high for the men and Jerry Sherman low.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith returned recently from Fort Wayne, Ind. Homer Stambaugh of Fort Wayne is their guest. Weekend guests were Col. and Mrs. R. C. Vandercook of East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff and co-hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell entertained the Saturday Bridge Club and their husbands at a potluck dinner Sunday evening at the Cliff residence "Oakmere" at Lake Margrethe. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hayes were guests.

Members of the Coffee Shop bowling team gathered at the home of Mrs. Ed Gierke on January 30 for a shower on their team sponsor, Mrs. Harold Long. A pink and white color scheme was used.

Folks down river are very pleased that the R.E.A. high line was turned on Part of the line was in operation before but the complete line wasn't turned on until last Saturday.

Miss Barbara Ann Borchers arrived home last Thursday to spend a month with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers and brother, Don. She has as her weekend guests Mary Ellen Blunt and Don Cady of Saginaw, Marie Hollenback of Indian River, Jane Kern of Holly and Jean Kern of Petoskey. Barbara spent Monday and Tuesday at Mary Ellen's home in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt announce the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Jean, to Robert C. Smock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Liland Smock. The marriage took place in Gaylord. The couple was attended by Miss Eileen Robarge and Harold Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and daughter Jacqueline, of Flint spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verlinde of Maple Forest and other relatives and friends in Grayling.

46 YEARS AGO —

Mrs. Robert Gillet was hostess to the Bridge Club Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Esbern Hanson held the high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin have moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, who have purchased the Claud Gilson house.

Peter E. Johnson of Grand Rapids is spending several days here visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Sorenson and family.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Nelson Monday, Feb. 9th. Mrs. Nelson was formerly Miss Dagmar Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan entertained a few guests at an informal bridge party Saturday evening.

Miss Evangeline Walsh of Detroit was a guest of Miss Lucille Hanson over the weekend. The young ladies were school friends at St. Mary's of the Woods.

Mrs. Herbert Gothro was hostess to her club Tuesday evening. Prizes for "500" were won by Mrs. Oliver Cody and Mrs. Victor Smith.

Two candidates, Mrs. Florence Lundison and Mrs. Clara Willott were initiated into the W.B.A. Thursday evening.

One of the loveliest parties of the season was given Thursday evening at the Temple Theater by Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. B. Earle Smith. Sixty couples responded to the invitations and dancing was the feature of the party. Chram's Ramblers furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley entertained Friday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of their mother, Mrs. A. J. Redson. The affair was a delightful surprise to Mrs. Redson, who was eighty years old on that day.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vincent, a daughter, on Monday, Feb. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Mercy Hospital this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle J. Hewitt (Mary Cassidy) are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Patricia Anne, born Tuesday morning at Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Bert Mitchell was delightedly surprised at her home Saturday evening by 38 of her friends, the occasion being her birthday.



REMINDER — Kim Graham, 12, Morrow, Co. winner of the 11th Annual "Miss American Teen-Ager" contest at Palisades Amusement Park is doing her bit for the 1971 Crusade for the American Cancer Society.

10,000 Gallons of Gasoline-Oil Dumped In Houghton Lake

By Willard Bosterman
County Extension Director

William C. Gibson, graduate student at Michigan State University estimated 10,000 gallons of gasoline-oil mix is dumped into Houghton Lake annually from outboard motors.

Gibson is a student of Dr. Clifford Humphrys who is a professor in the resources development department at M.S.U., and making a study of Houghton, Higgins and St. Helen Lakes.

Gibson says due to the inherent characteristics of the two-cycle engine as much as 40% of total fuel can be added to the lake water. This same condition occurs on all lakes where motor boats are numerous. Houghton Lake is not alone on this point.

It doesn't make any difference if it is on Houghton, Higgins, St. Helen, or Margrethe Lake the two cycle engine drips oil in the water.

It is not likely there will be a rapid change to the four cycle outboard motor because of the extra weight involved. A four-cycle engine developing 50 horsepower would likely require a block and tackle to install the motor. It would also require a larger boat to accommodate the larger engine. A two-cycle 50 horsepower unit can be handled with relative ease.

He came to the 10,000 gallon figure because he found that 60,000 gallons of marine fuel were pumped by the eight marinas located on the lake during the months of May, June, July, and August. He used a conservative loss of only 10% to the lake or 6,000 gallons. To this he added people who brought gasoline from other places and snowmobile use of the lake during the winter.

He feels the people who suffer the most from petroleum polluted waters are the recreationalists. Excessive pollution results in water with objectionable odor and taste; and water with films that will coat boat hulls, docks, fishing tackle, beaches, and even swimmers. It may also taint the flesh of fish to such a degree as to make them inedible.

There is a remedy, he says, many of today's new outboards

are using a much lighter gasoline-oil mixture than has been used in the past. This new mixture consists of one part oil to fifty parts gasoline. With this lighter mixture it has become practical to reuse fuel which was before discharged into the water through the exhaust system. This is accomplished by metering it into the fuel flow at some point between the tank and the engine's carburetor. This metering results in supplying the engine with a mixture of forty to one instead of the original mixture of fifty to one.

Perhaps some new research is needed on outboard motors. Maybe motor boats will go electric.

BITS O' TALK

The Wednesday night Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Robert Hayer last week. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Derek McEvers, Mrs. Harry Souders, and Mrs. Don Gothro. Valentine Prizes went to Mrs. Ward Ellison and Mrs. Leonard Knibbs. The next meeting will be on February 17, with Mrs. Joseph Stripes as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mika and children Sean and Angel of Bay City spent weekend before last with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pond. The weekend before that Candy Pond was home. VOTE your children in Feb. 23.

Irving McIsaac left on Thursday of last week to spend until Monday attending a retreat at Sudbury, Canada.

Fred Bronwassor of Holland spent a couple of weeks recently visiting the Richard Doman family at Lake Margrethe. He enjoyed the snow and some snowmobiling while here. He left just before the blizzard that hit the last week in January. Expected at the Doman residence this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Leslie of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Plamondon of Flint spent the weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Miller, and enjoyed some snowmobiling.

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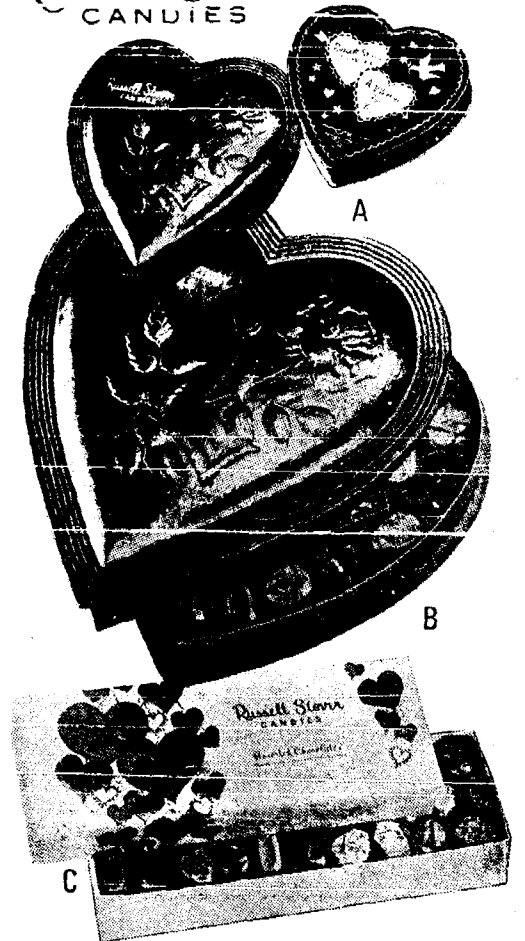
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County-City Share In Highway Funds

LANSING — Motor Vehicle Highway Fund collections for the fourth quarter of 1970 — down 1.9 per cent from the same period in 1969 — are being distributed to Michigan counties and municipalities, the State Highway Commission announced today.

State Highway Director Henrik E. Stafseth said Highway Fund net receipts for October, November and December were \$86.5 million, a decrease of \$1.7 million from the fourth quarter in 1969.

Department analysts said the general economic slow-down, combined with the work stoppage in the auto industry, contributed to the decline in gasoline taxes. "Michigan motorists did not travel as much in the latter part of 1970 as they did in 1969," Stafseth said.

Crawford County's share was \$109,374.00 compared with \$111,210.00 for the same period in 1969. The City of Grayling received \$6,872.00 for the fourth quarter of 1970 compared with \$7,066.00 in 1969.

The Highway Fund is made up of state taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel and license plate fees paid by motorists.

After deduction of collection costs by the Department of State, \$3.5 million for retirement of Mackinac Bridge Bonds, 1.5 per cent of gasoline taxes for the State Waterways Commission and other fixed costs — such as the manufacture of license plates — the money is distributed according to a formula established by the State Legislature.

Forty-six per cent goes to the Department of State Highways, 34 per cent to the state's 83 counties and 20 per cent to the 529 incorporated cities and villages. Under this formula, the Highway Department received \$39.8 million from the 1970 fourth quarter collections. The counties received \$29.4 million and cities and villages, \$17.3 million.

Twilight Twirlers

Don't forget to come to Michelson Memorial Church for the **Beeline Fashion party** on Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 7 p.m. There will be refreshments. Come and help us to get more uniforms.

Last week we gave the names of the girls who had been members for over a year. We are sorry to say we have lost one of our squad leaders, Cindy Steinbrink, who has moved to Lansing. Our new members from last September are Heather Beatty, Shelly and Stephanie Fick, Jane Hart, Lynn Hartig, Diane Hatley, Connie Keene, Bonnie Keusch, Shannon McNamara, Joy Mead, and Tammy Stuart.

New classes will begin on March 1 and 8th. Ships will be passed out in the elementary school. Anyone in the junior and senior high who are interested in any of the three units may call 348-7037 after 3 p.m., or may register at the elementary school on Feb. 15 or 22, between 6 and 3 p.m. Anyone not receiving ships may do the same. All inquiries will be answered.

Routines are being worked on and marching practice is progressing for summer. The first parade scheduled will be the Trout Festival in Kalkaska on April 23 and 24 followed by the Maple Sugar Festival in Sheppard on April 25.

Deb Brown, reporter

Lovells

By Mrs. Ruth Caldwell

Jim Douglas spent the week-end in Flint.

Mr. Bill Miller is visiting his nephew and family the Tom McClellan at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stalker and son Scott of Saline are spending their vacation with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke.

Mr. Jack Kaiser is working in Columbus, Ohio.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bitters returned home Saturday after spending a few weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weber and family of Midland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lambert. Mrs. Julie Press and family joined them on Sunday.

HURRY! HURRY! Winter clearance sale still in effect at Tip Top Togs — 20% to 50% off. Sale ends, Sat., Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bollman and family and Mrs. Katherine Bollman spent several days in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richards made a business trip to Saginaw.

PERCH FRY, Friday, Feb. 12, at Frederic Inn by Ausable Sno-Birds, from 5 to 10 p.m. Price \$1.75.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke were hosts to the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Hazel Spear, Elsie Kearney, Mark Stewart and Jack Spear. Mr. and Mrs. Richards will be hosts this Saturday. Come and enjoy the evening.

Frederic By Abbie Madill

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dumont spent last weekend in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rank and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Barton of Newago were enroute to Sault Ste. Marie Friday but were unable to go because of the weather so they spent the night with the Kenneth Allens.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Allen and family of Lansing were weekend guests of the Lowell Bindshagels and spent Sunday with his parents.

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Allen Lucksted and family of Saginaw were guests of the Jim Madills over the weekend.

The benefit dinner party given at the hotel Friday evening for Jerry Myers was a grand success despite the weather conditions.

PERCH FRY, Friday, Feb. 12, at Frederic Inn by Ausable Sno-Birds, from 5 to 10 p.m. Price \$1.75.

There will be a meeting at the Frederic Town Hall Tuesday, Feb. 16, on the proposed new high school at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

The Annual Kid's Party will be held on Saturday, Feb. 13, in the Village Park of Frederic from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. All Frederic and Maple Forest children are welcome. Sponsored by Sno-Birds.

Editor's Mailbox

February 8, 1971

The Editor
The Crawford County Avalanche
Grayling, Mich. 49738
An Open Letter to the Voters of Crawford County:

Education is a basic right of every individual living in the United States, but due to lack of funds and interest, the high school students of Crawford County are being denied the adequate education they deserve and need.

Because of the large influx of new students in recent years, Grayling's present high school has passed the point where it can provide substantial space and facilities essential to any good educational program.

We ask that all voters in Crawford County give careful and honest consideration to the new school proposal. We feel that not only the students, but everyone in our community will benefit from better education.

Sincerely,
Lynn Schwarz and Betty Broze

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you to the doctors, nurses and entire hospital staff, to relatives and friends for cards, visits, gifts and flowers. My sincere thanks to all.

Esther Hall

What - Where - When

SSG Edwin S. Grandt, Jr., U.S. Army Career Counseling, is at the Court House Tuesdays between 12:30 and 2:30.

Veterans representatives, Paul Langley will be in the Court House the 2nd Wednesday of every month from 9:00 until 11:00 a.m.

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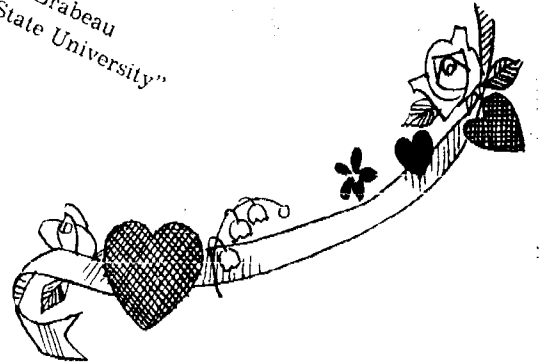
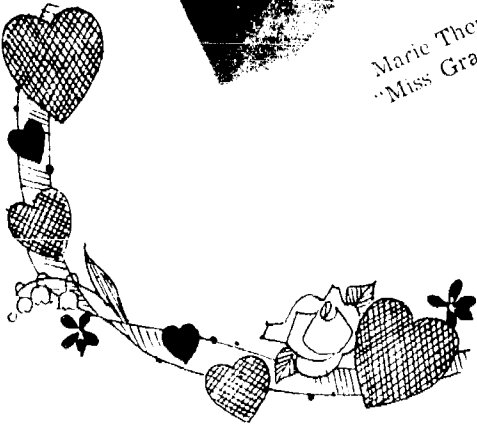
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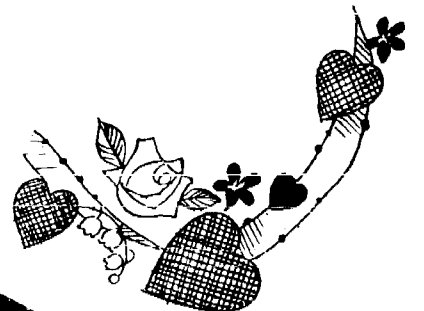
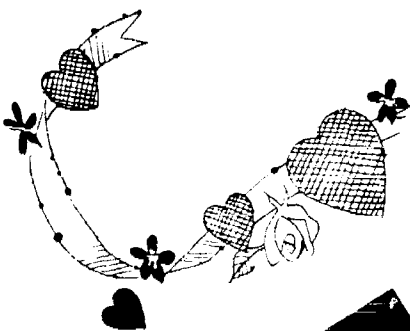
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California Cuties Cage Team vs. Grayling Faculty Feb. 18th



Hold on to your hats ladies—that means your Sunday's best, if you please—for the California Cuties are coming to town and they are always on the lookout for new and invigorating head pieces to add to their wardrobes.

The California Cuties will play the Faculty basketball team Feb. 18 at the Grayling Gym with game time set for 8:00 p.m.

The Cuties are a fun-loving bunch of wanderers performing on the basketball court for the 7th straight season. However, the original club was a men's softball squad that traveled the width and breadth of the country attired in ladies garments, facing top-notch men's clubs in all parts of the country. In fact, the softball replica made a trip to Japan as guests of the State Department several years ago and fans flocked to the parks to watch them in action.

On the basketball court, the Cuties feature their lanky center Dinah Shore. She stands 6 feet, 7 inches in her stocking feet and rebounds everything in sight—unless she turns the job over to her hidekick, Dumpy Dora and goes roaming.

Those who have witnessed the Cuties in action in other parts of the country, proclaim them as the greatest novelty basketball team of all time. In addition to their antics on the hardwoods while dressed in ladies garments, And while the game is in progress, don't be surprised at anything as the Cutie cut-ups, Rebound Rubv and Little Susie, may call time out in the middle of a shot by a teammate (or an opponent, more logically) to stage another of their wild comedy routines.

Remember, the California Cuties will appear at the High School Gym against the Faculty team from Grayling with game time at 8:00. Price of tickets for this extravaganza is \$1.50 for adults, and \$1.25 for children. \$1.00 for everyone in advance sales.

This evening of fun is sponsored by the Athletic Club for new bleachers. Tickets are available at Mac's Drug Store and the High School.

BITS O' TALK

Bill Joseph Jr. of Lansing and Marilyn Joseph and friend Linda Bjorker of Michigan State were home last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holcamp and two boys of Manistee were expected at the home of her mother, Mrs. Glen Fenton on Friday of last week. The boys were going to stay here with grandmother while the parents were going to the Sault Ste. Marie to watch the snowmobile races.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Bailey Jr. and son of Bay City spent the weekend with his parents, the Garrett Baileys, Sr.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Vern Oliver spent week before last in Bay City on business returning home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe and son Greg of Bay City spent weekend before last with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Shoen and a group of friends left Friday to return to their home in Crystal after spending a few days at the Shoen cabin near McMaster Bridge enjoying some snowmobiling.

Letters To The Editor

February 2, 1971

Dear Sirs:
I am writing in regards to the new school proposal. Now, I have four children, of which three are in school, but scattered in three different places.

I also work and my money has places to go to, but as far as the new school is concerned:

1. What is the purpose of a high-class auditorium? Also a gym, when the gym that's by the old high school is still standing, and as far as I know, it doesn't leak or is ready to fall down?

2. If there isn't any need for these two extras; I'd say there would be a lot of extra classroom.

3. Also for the cost of the building, it seems like the Jr. High at least ought to be included in the new building.

4. On the Home Ec. room, it's still the same as the old building, plus the fact that there's cooking one semester and sewing the next semester. So that's no change.

5. Since when do the teachers need a lounge? Everyone that works have coffee breaks, I presume, but that doesn't mean they need a lounge for it.

Besides this building could be laid out different and with more classrooms for the future. As this layout won't last very long (not any longer than the elementary school) before they'll need a new one.

What happened to the old fashioned school which is a school for Learning Not Looks.

I wouldn't mind paying for the latter, but if I'm paying for looks, I can buy a picture cheap!

It looks like what the Government doesn't get the City of Grayling is trying to get.

I know I'll have everyone on my back because of this letter, but I figure everyone is entitled to their opinion.

Thank You,
Mrs. Carol Raneroff

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Putting Things In Order

In this age of Medicare, social security and homes for the aged, sometimes people forget an important part of growing old—tranquility!

Yes, tranquility and peace are just as important in growing old gracefully as is sufficient insurance or all the other means with which we show our concern for the elderly.

Have you ever noticed that old people have a knack of putting things in order? In fact, they need everything tidy, neat and sure. Certainly their greatest need is for peace and security—but this can come only when they are at peace with God!

If we want to reap the harvest of friendship with God in our old age, then we must cultivate our relation with Him—when we are young and able. Regular church attendance and worship is your assurance of peace and tranquility during your own gentle lengthening years. It will be a heaven-sent reward and one which you cannot, will not, want to miss.



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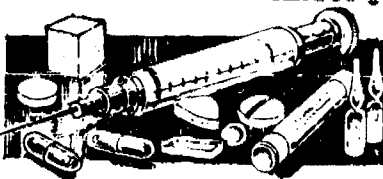
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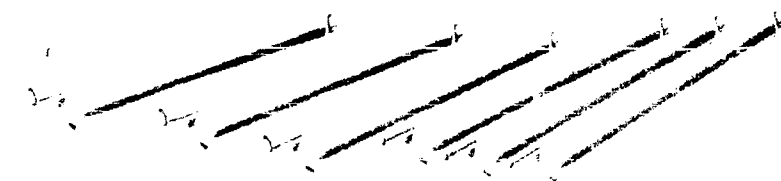
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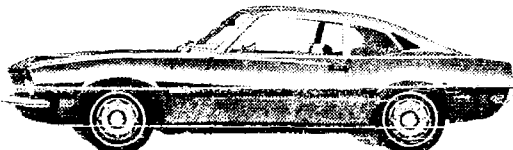
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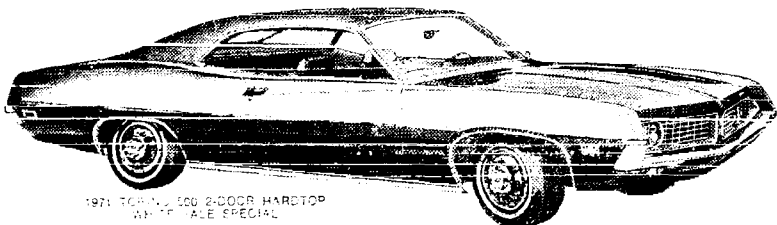
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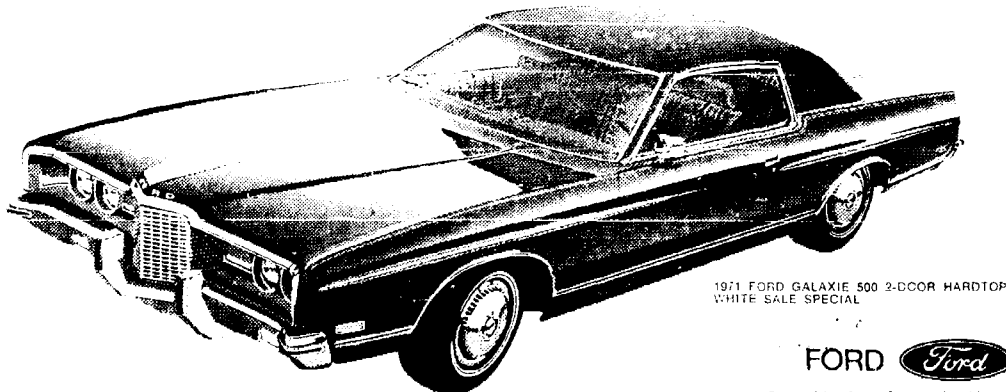
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Patients at Mercy Hospital this week include James Basso, Mary Bielski, Clara Cardinal, Fred Bielecki, Erin Jeffery, Pamela Johnson, Lillian Kitchen, Warren Klirkman, Maggie Leverson, Robert McClain, Martha Morrison, Rupert Reihart, Nelson Robinson, Camilla Sorenson, Dr. Stanley Stealy, and Mary Walker, all of Grayling; Linda Bentley, Barbara Mertes and Ricky Partridge of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kitchen of Grayling are the parents of a son, Carl Joseph, born on Feb. 4 and weighing 7 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews of Thompson are the parents of a daughter born at Mercy Hospital on Feb. 1, and named Kelly Lynn. Mrs. Andrews is the former Jennie Ann Sheehy of Grayling.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Drs. Dosch and Burkley, and all the nurses and the entire staff who were so nice to me and also those who sent cards, gifts and flowers to cheer me during my stay at the hospital. Also Rev. Au-miller and my neighbors.

Mrs. Mable A. Broadworth

Buy-Sell in the Avalanche

Obituaries

Mrs. Frances Wilcox Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Frances (Mary) Wilcox, 80, passed away suddenly in Flint on Monday, Feb. 8. The body is at Brown Funeral Home in Flint with d.tails later. Burial will be in Grayling.

LOCAL RESIDENT'S MOTHER SUCCUMBS

Mrs. Louise Lezotte of River Rouge, mother of Mrs. Arnie Mauren, died Sunday morning. She was 85 years old. Funeral services were to be held Wednesday morning at 9:30 at Lady of Lourdes Church in River Rouge with the Gerrback Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Residing Mrs. Mauren, who is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Hazel Blum; two sons, Wesley and Robert Socia; and a step-daughter, Mrs. Steve Armos, all of River Rouge.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauren and son Paul left Monday to attend the funeral.

Services Saturday for Thomas H. Tiltman, 62

Thomas H. Tiltman, 62, of Horseshoe Trail, Grayling, was pronounced dead on arrival at Mercy Hospital on Wednesday, Feb. 3. He was born in England April 8, 1908.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Donelson-Johns Funeral Home in Pontiac with Rev. Glen Mellott officiating. Burial was in Perry Mount Park in Pontiac. The body laid in state at Sorenson Funeral Home Thursday evening and was transferred to the Donelson-Johns Funeral Home on Friday.

Mr. Tiltman was retired from the General Motors Truck Plant in Pontiac and had been a resident of Grayling for two years.

Survivors include his wife, Helen; three sons, Joseph and Richard, both of Pontiac, and Thomas W. of Alger; three daughters, Mrs. Jean Guyett of Rochester and Mrs. Charlotte Dilly and Mrs. Susan McMaran, both of Pontiac; one sister, Mrs. Minnie Fellows of Pontiac and an uncle, Fred Tiltman of Pontiac.

His sons and sons-in-law served pallbearers.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to the doctors, nurses and nurses aides, for their care and kindness. To the relatives and friends for visits, flowers, gifts and cards during my stay at Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Retta Randolph



CHESS WINNER — Mark Southwell, pictured, took first place in the Grayling area chess match Sunday, Feb. 7. Last place went to Tom Stanton, (not available for picture).

The next chess match, which is open to all Crawford County residents will be February 28 at the Mark Southwell residence, 101 Glenway, at one o'clock.

Jack Pine's Stump



to pay for the building the first year."

In answering the question about how we compare with other school districts in the amount of money spent to educate each child, the brochure states "There are 327 school districts in the State of Michigan and our school ranks 508, or nineteenth from the bottom. This school district ranks 119th in State Equalized Valuation."

There's a lot more information in the folder. Pick one up if you get a chance. There's a fine letter in there from the School Board and signed by Dr. Henig. The last paragraph reads, in part, "As members of the School Board, we are committed to provide a high quality education for every child in this district. We need your support in our efforts because the task is very large and admittedly an expensive one."

Jack Pine is fighting a horrible cold. He has just had an unpleasant phone call, has been up since 4:30 this morning and is supposed to drive some 350 miles tomorrow over roads which the weather bureau has just announced would be "hazardous". Besides that, the typewriter keys are all running together.

Remember: VOTE OUR CHILDREN IN!

Jack Pine

BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Mauren spent the weekend at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hall, at Pleasant Lake.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross spent Friday in Ann Arbor, then went to Bridgeport and spent the rest of the weekend with their daughter and husband, the R. D. Ashtons.

HURRY! HURRY! Winter clearance sale still in effect at Tip Top Togs — 20% to 50% off. Sale ends Sat., Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilton returned home from Waukegan, Pa. last Monday where they visited their daughter and family, Ma. and Mrs. LeRoy Liput and children.

PERCH FRY, Friday, Feb. 12, at Frederic Inn by AuSable Snow-Birds, from 5 to 10 p.m. Price \$1.75.

Norman, Sandy and Geneva Riddle and Duane Dillon, who race for D. L. Riddle, were in Onekema over the weekend to attend the snowmobile races there. At the Grand Prix at Houghton Lake two weeks ago Duane took 4th place in overall points. Norm and Geneva received a Good Sportsman's trophy.

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Prospective bidders must comply with the requirements of the Workmen's Compensation Act to be eligible to bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Bids must be received by William Tarr, Area Forester, AuSable State Forest, Department of Natural Resources Fish Hatchery, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, not later than 10:00 AM, EST, Tuesday, February 24, 1971.

For further information concerning this sale, contact William Tarr, Area Forester.

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Lincoln walked a mile to school. Long drives a block to school. Lincoln with a law just office. Long tries to work in an office. Lincoln had a dog named Tod. Long has a dog named Cad. Lincoln was a great friend. Long is working for the Women's Liberation Movement. Lincoln was born in a log type house. Long swam in a mud type house.

"Happy Birthday Paul!"
Paid Adv.

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Bids Wanted

Sealed bids for the following will be received by the City of Grayling at the City Office, 103 James Street, until March 8, 1971 at 7:30 p.m., at which time they will be publicly opened and read:

TWO (2) Police Patrol Vehicles, one to be delivered on May 18, 1971 and one November 1, 1971, with the provision that the first car will be traded on the second.

Alternate Bid: One Police Patrol Vehicle without trade-in.

Specifications and further information may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk, Grayling, Michigan.

All proposals are to be sealed and PLAINLY marked as to contents.

The City of Grayling reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

City of Grayling
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By Elmer E. White

Bridge Proves Safe
Michigan drivers looking for a safe place to drive their car or truck would be advised to head north.

On the basis of statistics compiled during its 13 years of operation, the Mackinac Bridge appears to be about the safest stretch of highway in the Wolverine State.

An average of only one of every 300,000 vehicles crossing the bridge is involved in a collision. Most of these are the rear-end type caused by drivers gawking at the magnificent scenery of the Straits of Mackinac instead of looking out for the car ahead.

These rear-end collisions vary in frequency from a high of 10 in 1966 down to only one experienced in the year 1960.

Collisions on the fare plaza occur a bit more frequently with one recorded for every 260,000 vehicles going through.

These are attributed to such causes as bad brakes, reaching for money and not watching the road and just plain poor judgment.

ment. There was only one of these in 1960 also while the eight experienced last year tied it with 1961, which also saw eight such accidents.

Actually, the worst thing that there is a chance of happening to you is either running out of gas or having a flat tire.

An average of one of every 22,000 vehicles crossing the bridge runs out of gas, despite the fact that it is only five miles long. The record for this was set in 1959 when 96 motorists didn't get to the other side before their gas tanks ran dry.

Your chances of a flat tire are even better, since one of every 19,671 vehicles get halted for that reason.

Mackinac Bridge patrolmen have assisted in the changing of 910 tires since 1958, with the peak year coming in 1959 when 125 vehicles, or one of every 10,000, didn't make it across.

The Bridge Authority supplies tire changers and enough gas to get a motorist the rest of the way across at no charge.

"But we must confess," says Bridge Authority Chairman A. Prentiss M. Brown, "that altruism is not our main objective in supplying these services. We are largely interested in moving vehicles off the bridge and fare plaza as quickly as possible so they will not obstruct traffic and become a danger to other bridge crossers."

The bridge also comes out high in the grimiest of highway statistics — fatalities.

In its 13 year history not one person has been killed, despite the fact close to 100 million vehicle miles have been driven on it. This stacks up against State Police records which show that in 1969 there were 4.89 fatalities for every 100 million vehicle miles driven over Michigan highways.

That rate would be somewhat lower for limited access highways such as interstates, but it still would not be zero.

"The fact that the bridge is lighted at night, has a median strip and is continually patrolled no doubt influences the safe driving record established since its opening," Brown says.

It seems a shame the same amount of attention and care can't be devoted to each mile of the state's highways — but then most people would probably balk at paying \$1.50 toll for every five miles they drive.

Flying Higher

The aeronautics industry got higher off the ground in Michigan during the 1970's.

Statistics accumulated by the Michigan Commerce Department show that the number of takeoffs and landings at eight major Michigan airports nearly doubled between 1960 and 1970.

The number of landings and takeoffs at tower-controlled airports is a good indicator of total operations from general aviation at the nearly 300 licensed and approved airports, the commission said.

It said total takeoffs and landings went up from 777,751 at the eight airports in 1960 to 1,333,505 in 1970.

The airports involved in the figures were Battle Creek, Detroit City, Detroit Metro, Detroit Willow Run, Flint, Grand Rapids, Lansing and Muskegon.

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PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place — Gymnasium Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (All of the territory except Lovells Township.)

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place — The Lovells Township Hall. The third precinct consists of the rest of the territory of the former Frederic Community Schools. (Namely Lovells Township, only.)

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan.

James A. Madill

Secretary, Board of Education

ENROLLMENT STILL OPEN FOR CMU GAYLORD CLASS

MT. PLEASANT — Additional enrollments are being taken for the education course offered in Gaylord by Central Michigan University's Off Campus Education office. Registrations will be taken at the next class meeting which meets Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in Gaylord High School.

The course is listed as Elementary Education 395, Elementary Education in Michigan. It earns three hours undergraduate credit and is being taught by Carl F. Voupel.

CMU is cooperating with North Central Michigan College, Petoskey, in offering other undergraduate courses in Gaylord. Students may earn credit at NCMC or CMU in the following courses: NCMC Accounting 112; CMU English 221, English Literature; NCMC English Literature 222; CMU Political Science 201; NCMC Introduction to American Government 141.

Students may contact Grayling High School administrative office for information and class meeting nights for any of the above courses. They may also contact CMU's Off Campus Education office, Mt. Pleasant.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all my friends and family for making my stay in the hospital a very pleasant one. A special thanks to all my friends at the Archery and to the nurses and doctors at Mercy Hospital.

Karen Macaulay

Road Commissioners Minutes

January 22, 1971

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Michigan, on January 22, 1971, at 7:30 p.m. Present: Commissioners Wilbert E. Simpson and Harold T. Johnson, Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser. Absent: Commissioner R. E. Shook.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Simpson that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Engr. Mgr. Keir reported on recent meetings of the Grayling Crawford Regional Planning Commission and the Crawford County Parks and Recreation Committee.

The Board, after discussion, approved a survey of Traffic Control Devices on Federal Aid Secondary routes in the county, to be performed by the Michigan Department of State Highways. The Board also decided to continue the street and road name signing program, at primary and local road intersections.

A letter report of the State examination of County Records and Accounts received from the State Department of Treasury concerning the lack of identification on certain county road equipment was read by Engr. Mgr. Keir. This omission has been corrected and reported by letter to the Department of Treasury.

The Commissioners, Engr. Mgr. Keir and Supt. Feldhauser made a trip of inspection over all State Highways maintained by the Crawford County Road Commission. Upon returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP ZONING HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held February 23, 1971 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room, Grayling City Hall, on proposed changes in the Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Rezone from R-A to R-3 the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 lying W 1/2 of AuSable Trail, Sec. 2, T26N, R4W and

Extend the Green Belt Zoning on the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 2, T26N, R4W, from the existing 100 ft W 1/2 of the AuSable River W 1/2 to the AuSable Trail.

and
Rezone from R-3 to C-1 that part of Blk. 6, 6th Add. to P.L.P. lying S of M-72 and all of Blk. 7, 6th Add. to P.L.P.

B. J. FOWLER, Supervisor

Council Proceedings

Special meeting of the City Council held Monday, February 1, 1971 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Derek McEvers at 7:30 p.m.
Councilmen present: McEvers, Thomson, Bovee, Forbes.
Councilmen absent: Golinick.
Also present: Nelson A. Miles, City Attorney.

Grayling Township Supervisor Bernard Fowler, Clerk Robert Hayes, Treasurer Evelyn Gardiner and Trustee Clare "Skip" Madden were present.

Moved by Thomson, supported by Bovee that the City enter into a lease agreement with Hal Walker for the site of the present skating rink and add same to its insurance policy.

Years all, the motion carried. Discussion was held regarding possible annexation of some of Grayling Township south of the City Limits.

Mayor McEvers stated that the City was the economic fulcrum of the area and provisions for growth could benefit the entire community. Mr. Fowler and the Township Officers were opposed to strip annexation and it was suggested that property owners wishing to annex submit petitions. Mr. Miles advised of the legal requirements.

Mrs. Forbes was excused at 8:45 p.m.

It was agreed that recommendations of the Planning Commission be obtained.

Moved by Thomson, supported by Bovee that we adjourn. Years all, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

William Valusek,
City Manager and Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Probate Court for the County of Crawford

Estate of Dorothy G. Martindale, Deceased.
It is Ordered that on April 7, 1971, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom City of Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Frederick C. Martindale, of Roscommon, Michigan 48633 prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.
Dated: January 22, 1971.
/s/ Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

Robert K. Huber
Attorney for Executor
P.O. Box 516, 407 Lake Avenue
Roscommon, Michigan 48641

FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made the 27th day of October, 1967 by DOROTHY F. FARRELL as mortgagor, to the GRAYLING STATE BANK, a Michigan Corporation of Grayling, Michigan, as mortgagee, and recorded on February 7, 1968 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 91 at Page 519; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, Three Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty Two and 89/100 (3,582.89) including interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative of such default.

Notice is hereby given that on April 14, 1971 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Grayling, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows, to-wit:

The following described land situated in the township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, viz:
All that part of the East One-half (E 1/2) of East One-half (E 1/2) of East One-half (E 1/2) of the Southwest One-Quarter (SW 1/4) of the Northeast One-Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 16, Town 26 North, Range 2 West, lying on the North Side of Highway M-72, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Mich.
The redemption period shall be one year from the date of such sale.

Dated: December 11, 1970.
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Announce DNR Promotion For Robert O. Ball

Roscommon Regional Manager C. Troy Yoder has announced the retirement of Lewis A. Dorman, Superintendent of the Gaylord Repair Shop, effective March 13, 1971. Succeeding Dorman is Robert O. Ball, presently assigned to the Region 11 Headquarters, Roscommon, as Assistant Business Executive.

Robert Ball, 47, assumes his new position with 23 years service and experience. He is well qualified, with a solid background in the management, purchasing, and supervision of heavy equipment. He has served in the capacity of Office Manager and Assistant Business Executive in the Roscommon Region 11 Headquarters for the past 20 years.

Bob and his wife, Fern, have made their home in Roscommon, where they raised their daughters Kathy (Mrs. David Madden) and Sharron (Mrs. George Wallace). A native of Northern Michigan, Bob was raised in Whittemore, where he graduated from Whittemore Prescott High School. The Ball's are looking forward to settling in Gaylord in the near future.

Kathy Post On SVC Dean's List

Saginaw Valley College has named Kathy Post, Grayling, to the Dean's List for academic achievement during the fall semester. Students must maintain a 3.0 academic average to qualify for the honor.

Stancil - St. Germain Receive Degrees from Central Michigan U.

Two Grayling students were among 1,050 awarded degrees at Central Michigan University at the end of the Fall semester.

In all, about 800 CMU students received bachelor's degrees while approximately 250 earned master's degrees and 10 were awarded specialist degrees.

CMU's mid-winter commencement was held on Dec. 19. Dr. Clifton R. Wharton, Jr., president of Michigan State University was the commencement speaker.

Grayling students receiving degrees were George Lee Stancil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stancil of Lake Margrethe, Bachelor of Science in Education, and Thomas S. St. Germain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas St. Germain of 308 Kerry, Bachelor of Science.

BITS O' TALK

The Wednesday evening Buncle club met at the home of Jan Harney last week. Alice Galvani held high score and also won the door prize. Second high was held by Mary Houle and Jill Harwood held low. The next meeting will be at Madalyn Kucharski on Feb. 17.

Dianne Hall and two sons, Pat and Joe, of Grand Rapids are expected at the George McEvers home for the Winter Sports weekend and to spend a week visiting.

Dependent Children Caseload Shoots Up

By Sen. John Toepp

If you have wondered why the cost of government goes up so sharply, you might take a quick look at what has happened to the caseload of aid-to-dependent children in the last 12 months.

In January of last year, the caseload was 61,340. That grew steadily for the next 11 months and by December, the state ADC caseload had almost doubled. It was 113,130 as the year ended.

But that is only half of the story. The cost per case back in January was \$202.71 but by the time December was reached rising costs had upped that to \$211.61.

So in the last year, costs jumped from \$13 million in January to almost \$24 million in December.

Now, this is exceptional because of the long General Motors strike.

But a look at comparable figures of three years ago shows that January cases numbered 45,156 compared with 61,340 last January and costs had risen from \$183.55 per case to the \$202.71 previously mentioned.

In December three years ago, 49,637 cases cost an average of \$189.37 per case compared with 113,130 cases in December, 1970, and an average cost of \$211.61.

The jump from less than \$10 million to almost \$24 million in three years in just one category gives you some idea of where our state government revenue goes.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of 808 Plum Street received word that they have a new great-grandson. Terry Lee is the young lad who was born on Jan. 22 at Lapeer Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ormsbee. Mrs. Ormsbee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rinnas now of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Ormsbee and family arrived Thursday and spent the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tower left on Friday of last week planning on spending until Monday or Tuesday in Caro visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fay Burton.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23.

Jim Shepler left Saturday for Columbus, Ohio, where he will be taking a course in Jewelry business management. He expects to return home around Wednesday or Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William McLeod spent last Sunday in Fairview visiting their son and family, the Richard McLeods.

The Bill Meaghers of Bay City called on the Robert Bovees last Saturday while up at their cabin on the AuSable for the weekend.

Christine Carlson spent from Monday till Thursday of last week visiting her folks, the Art Carlsons, enroute from Mass. to Kalamazoo, where she will be employed at Bronson Hospital. The Carlsons were expecting the Rod Powers of Hart up over the past weekend, weather permitting.

Seven Students On CMU Honors List

More than 2,300 students have been named to the academic honors list at Central Michigan University for the 1970 Fall semester.

To be eligible for the academic honors list, a student must have a cumulative grade average of "B" or better for his entire college career.

Included on the Fall honors list are some 2,300 students from Michigan. Thirty-one students from states other than Michigan and one student from a foreign country are also on the honors list.

Students from Grayling named to the honors list were: Patricia A. Christian, Box 95, freshman; Cheryl F. Holcomb, 6150 Cedar, freshman; Marjorie E. Johnson, 502 Elm, senior; David L. LaGuire, Rte. 1, junior; Victoria Scheer, Rte. 1, junior; Cynthia J. Weideman, Rte. 1, junior; and John H. Wilson, 414 Cedar, sophomore.

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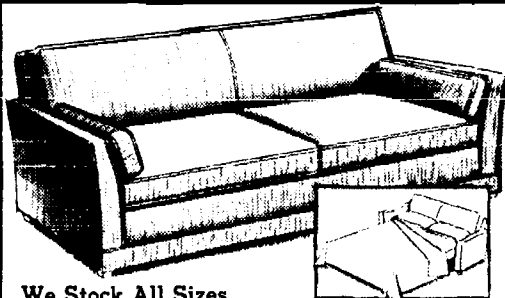
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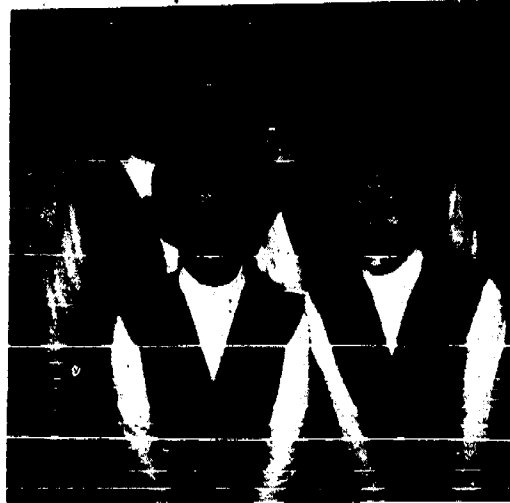
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 2. Bear Archery 14
 3. Grayling Merc. 13
 4. Tarpon Ind. 10
 5. Post Oil 10
 6. Jarmin Insurance 8
 7. Clark Super 6
 8. Uncle Al 6
 High series: K. Moore, 642; G. Sawyer, 640; D. Smock, 639.
 High game: D. Smock, 241; K. Moore, 230; R. King, 223.

American League - 2nd Div.
 1. Grayling Dist. 12
 2. Bill's Barber Shop 12
 3. Millikin Const. 11½
 4. Union 76 10½
 5. Parker Surveying 10
 6. Gray-Lee Judo Club 9
 7. John's Super 100 8
 8. Al & Jessies 7
 Ind. high series: C. Wakeley, 556; N. Parker, 544; E. Neal, 543.
 Ind. single game: D. Hall, 225; E. Neal, 222; R. Johnston, 213.

National League - 1st Div.
 1. Moose Lodge 10
 2. Tarpon Industries 7
 3. Grayling State Bank 7
 4. City of Grayling 7
 5. Chief Shoppemagon 6
 6. Bear Archery 5
 7. North Mich. Tree 4
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 High game: K. Moore, 227; L. Davis and C. Anthony, 225; P. Junttila, 222.

National - 2nd Div.
 1. Legion Lanes 9
 2. R & H Sport 7
 3. Caid's Grocery 7
 4. General Tel. Co. 6
 5. K & K Boys 6
 6. Rays Canoe 6
 7. AuSable Manistee 5
 8. Sams Auto Parts 2
 High series: Dave MacLean, 567; Fred Schaibly, 563; P. Mead, 530.
 High game: Butch Foster, 208; Fred Schaibly, 302; Dave MacLean, 203.

Pioneer League
 1. Dawson's 14
 2. Al's Gal's 14
 3. Avalanche 12
 4. Sorenson's 12
 5. Cornell's 9
 6. Packard Electric 9
 7. Vita Boy 5
 8. Fred Bear Museum 5
 High series: Onalee Smith, 527; Grace Wysocki, 509; Ilene Hatfield, 496.
 High game: Grace Wysocki, 202; Onalee Smith, 191; Doris Anthony, 190.

Sunday Night Mixed Doubles
 1. Luzerne Annex 55½
 2. Frederic Gen. Store 43
 3. Beaver Bend Lodge 41
 4. Decker's Fix It 38
 5. Mac's Clock 37
 6. Arrowhead Inn 36½
 7. D-Hondt Const. 36
 8. Glen's Market 33
 Ind. high series, men: Duke LaMotte, 604; Dan Canfield, 524; Bill Tobin, 484.
 High game, men: Duke LaMotte, 245; Bill Tobin, 204; Art O'Connor, 201.
 High series, women: Ann Latusek, 518; Loretta Tobin, 510; Blanche Canfield, 438.
 High game, women: Loretta Tobin, 191; Ann Latusek, 176-174; Virginia Belcher, 166.

Triangle League
 1. Legion Lanes 10
 2. Miller Hardware 10
 3. Bear Mt. Lounge 9
 4. Wag-On-Inn 8
 5. Shamrock Restaurant 7
 6. Glen's Market #2 7
 7. Goldies Poodle Salon 7
 8. Glen's Market #1 6
 High series: Dennis Freeman, 595; Jack Harnay, 568; Kim Rentschler, 524.
 High game: Dennis Freeman, 244; Kim Lovely, 211; Ken Halstead, 188.

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College, and her talent is an interpretive reading "Patterns" by Amy Lowell, done in a 14th century gown she designed.

Darlene Jane Kehoe, "Miss Gladwin County", 18 years old, 5' 9", brown-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kehoe of Gladwin, sponsored by the Gladwin County Chamber of Commerce. Darlene attended Grand Rapids Baptist College and is presently a nurse's aid at Gladwin Hospital, and her talent is "Ventriloquism".

Joan Lee VanderLaan, "Miss Missaukee County", 19 years old, 5' 8½", blue-eyed blond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. VanderLaan of Lake City, sponsored by the Lake City Chamber of Commerce. Joan is a sophomore at Alma College, and her talent presentation is a melodrama, concluding with the singing of "Where Is Love" from the hit movie "Oliver".

Patricia "Patty" Purol, "Miss Posen", 18 years old, 5' 1½", hazel-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Purol of Posen, sponsored by the Posen Chamber of Commerce. Patty is a senior at Posen Consolidated High School, and her talent presentation is a country comedy skit.

Ann Elizabeth Rutledge, "Miss Roscommon", 18 years old, 5' 1", blue-eyed blond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Rutledge of Roscommon, sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Higgins Lake-Roscommon Chamber of Commerce. Ann is a freshman at Alma College, and her talent presentation is a piano and voice solo "Hello Dolly", from the award winning stage production "Hello Dolly".

Elizabeth Kay Halter, "Gaylord Alpenfest Queen", 19 years old, 5' 3", hazel-eyed blond, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Richard Halter of Gaylord, sponsored by the Gaylord Arca Chamber of Commerce. "Liz" is a freshman at Michigan State University, and her talent presentation will be her own arrangement using the piano, trumpet, and voice solo of "What The World Needs Now".

Susan Carol Brabeau, "Miss Michigan State University", 22 years old, 5' 5", brown-eyed brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindsley of St. Clair Shores, sponsored by the Sports-meister Shop of E. Lansing. Susan is a senior at Michigan State University, and her talent presentation will be a voice solo-skit of the "Big Spender" from "Sweet Charity" and "Too Long At The Fair".

Women of the Moose

Women of the Moose, remember we have a meeting Monday, Feb. 15th. Hope to see a large group present. We are having the Green Cap Special with games and prizes, plus six special prizes. Refreshments.

Loretta Johnson, Publicity

District Court Action

Two men appeared before Judge Francis L. Walsh in the 83rd district court here last week.

Gerald Medina, 18, Roscommon, paid fine and costs of \$124 following a guilty plea to a charge of larceny less than \$100. He was originally charged with conspiracy to steal. Medina was arrested by sheriff's dept. deputies.

Eugene J. Bizauskas, 30, Frederic, pleaded guilty to a reduced charge of larceny under \$100, and is scheduled to be sentenced on March 2. He was previously charged with larceny of more than a \$100, a felony.

BITS O' TALK

Basketball

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John Hunter has returned to Hillsdale College after spending the semester break at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hebert, Mrs. Emma Knibbs and Mrs. Altha Herie left last Thursday to spend some time in Florida.

County students got another vacation Friday as freezing rain caused the schools to close for the day.

HURRY! HURRY! Winter clearance sale still in effect at Tip Top Togs — 20% to 50% off. Sale ends Sat., Feb. 13.

Mary and Pat Thompson were home from Saginaw weekend before last visiting their respective parents, the Don Bobenmeyers and Sandy Thompsons. Martel and John Sorenson were also home that weekend visiting the Bobenmeyers and the Robert Sorensons. On Jan. 31, Mary Thompson celebrated her 21st birthday and they had a family dinner party for the occasion. Yvonne Bobenmeyer celebrated her 13th birthday on January 28th, and had some of her school friends in for a luncheon in the afternoon.

VOTE your children in Feb. 23. Mrs. Floyd SanCartier of Lansing spent some time here with her daughter, Mrs. Anita Laurent and family. Floyd brought her up and then came up to get her.

Dena Bovee Named To KC Dean's List

155 students at Kalamazoo College have been named to the dean's list for the fall quarter of the current academic year. Fifty seven students completed the quarter with a grade point average of 3.75 or better (a grade point of 4.0 is all A's) to receive high honors.

Ninety eight students maintained a 3.50 to 3.75 academic average.

Among those students who maintained a 3.50 to 3.75 grade point average was Dena Bovee, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee of 505 Ing-ham.

final quarter, and tied the game with six seconds remaining. A cold third period, and foul trouble hurt the Viking's chances, as both Terry Fitzpatrick and Kim Parkinson had three fouls in the first quarter.

Coach St. Germain had three players hitting in double figures, with Jim Tobin leading the way with 28 on 11 field goals and 6 of 9 charity tosses. Fitzpatrick tallied 13 on 6-1 and Dan McIsaac added 10 on 5 buckets.

Parkinson chipped in with 9 points, Bob Miller had 8, Wayne Westervelt 6 and Mike McNamara 2 for the Vikings.

Westervelt led in the rebounding department as he hauled in 15, followed by McIsaac with 14, Fitzpatrick 13, Parkinson 8, Miller 6 and Tobin 5.

Harbor held a 33-32 field goal advantage over the Vikings and were 15 of 28 at the free throw lane, to Grayling's 12 of 23.

Coach Howard Lehti's JV's found themselves on the short end of 19-6 first quarter count, and were never able to catch up as the little Rams went on to 35-17 halftime lead. The host team outscored Grayling 27 to 24 in the second half to win 62-41.

Chris Duncley with 16 points on a 6-4 count was the only player in double figures for the local JVs.

Adding to Grayling's score included: Mike Hoffman with 6, Dale Melroy and Bill Horning with 5 each, Jim McClain 3, Joe Shepler, Burt Kaiser and Randy Sajdak with 2 points each.



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